

Meeting Minutes
Spring Hill Civic League-General Meeting

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Monday, October 6, 2025

President: James Rizzo
Vice President: Brittany
Goldinger
Treasurer: Ben Soltesz
Secretary: Beth Miller

Meeting called to order on
Monday, October 7, 2024 @ 6:05 PM
Meeting adjourned at @7:11 PM

**Board members
in attendance:**
Ben Soltesz-absent Beth Miller
James Rizzo Brittany Goldinger-absent
Debbie Rihn-absent Richard Valorie-absent
Asahnti Mitchell Ingrid Nagin-absent

Summary of meeting:

1. Call to order and introductions:

- o Welcome

2. Minutes and Old Business:

- o Review minutes from the September 2025 General meeting
- o One correction to minutes -page 2-facebook page “used” -motion to accept typo-Beth and Heather

3. Treasurer’s Report:

- i. Current account balance to be provided next meeting

4. Public Safety:

- i. Absent

New Business:

5. Update from Councilman Wilson’s Office (Jordyn present):

- o Dumping on Romanhoff cleaned up by DRW
- o PRT incident with a loss of life
- o Legislation introduced to address all of the “vape” shops being added
 - i. Change zoning to regulate how these businesses operate
- o Fleet Report Legislation
 - i. Goal is annual reporting of emergency vehicles in the City- information is on the City Clerks page
- o Budgets came out
 - i. City engage page has updates
 - ii. Were able to secure funding for landslide at Mashall’s Gas Station on Spring Garden-plans in works for final repair
 - iii. DPW to discuss design for Spring Hill/City View Park next Thursday-closed meeting but James asked to be included—note—this may pertain to Michael Flynn Park on Spring Garden
- o Councilman Wilson’s Office asked DPW to clean up the Spring on Damas
- o Zone 1 Lieutenant Watts to move to another station
- o Boats parked at Random on South Side Ave. requested to be reported
- o 106 Solar Street- problematic- loose dogs- trash-cars -squatters-junk
 - i. Jordyn will reach out to PLI to engage here and Roots for help if they are unhoused
- o Heather inquired about speed bumps to slow traffic and possible drug activity

6. BOARD TERMS/ELECTIONS (ENDING IN 2025)

- o **Board Seat(s)**
 - i. 1 vacancy -Director
 - 1. 2 year term
 - 2. Sue Lippert and Heather McDonald interested
 - 3.

7. EVENTS:

- o HALLOWEEN
 - i. October 25, 2025
 - ii. Regular programming this year
 - iii. We have candy bags for participants- Ben to shop and assemble
 - iv. Free costumes by Emma Munson Foundation @ Spring Hill K-5-October 16th, 2025 5:00 to 6:30 pm- Ingrid is point of contact
- o December 7, 2025 @ 6:00pm Tree Lighting at Waisenhaus park

- 8. One Northside -Chris Sweeney and Sharice Walker (education team) present:**
- Monitoring school consolidation
 - Still questions about timing and long term vision
 - One Northside is trying to elevate voices but has no control
 - Can sign up for updates
 - Quarterly meetings about education and goal is to have North Side residents involved
 - Spring Hill as an organization had Devin Telfaro at May's meeting and we took advantage of the public forum that the Bd. Of Ed. had
 - i. Continued ways to advocate
 - 1. Partner with One Northside
 - 2. Engage with community to connect and share details
 - 3. Be involved -be alert- be attentive and participate
 - One Northside is trying to mobilize a response to these issues and figure out unification for this
 - Dilemma- is there a way to sway the decision- not sure and what are the next steps
 - There are meetings to be scheduled in October and November but no dates announced yet
- 9. Reasons for realignment:**
- Infrastructure
 - Modernization
 - Opportunities across the district
 - Equity in learning gaps
 - K-magnets to be consolidated or eliminated
 - Enrollment dwindling
 - Learning experiences are being missed out on; i.e. music/algebra
- 10. Invite Dwayne Barker (who is on School Board) to a meeting show that we as a community are engaged:**
- **What do we say/ask:**
 - i. How do WE fit into this framework
 - ii. Let him know who WE are
 - iii. Let him know that this affects entire families
 - iv. Can we offer things we have not thought of yet
 - v. Can we offer creative options to bridge gaps or provide better community engagement / support:
 - 1. Example- can community members volunteer to teach music-tutor etc
 - vi. Ashanti has offered to be point person/volunteer for this
- 11. Good of the Community:**
- Service named--- Alerts@neighborhoods.com this provides a mix of things going on in communities- house sales- community happenings- likely fed from Next Door
- 12. Meeting adjourned @7:11pm :**
- Motions by Amber and Ashanti